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Mr. Vernon A. Williams, Secretary Surface Transportation Board 1925 K Street, N.W. Room 704 Washington, DC 20423-0001

Re:

The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company Leveraged Lease Financing BNSF 1999-F

Dear Mr. Williams:

I am enclosing for recording pursuant to Section 11301 of Title 49 of the United States Code, two original copies of each of the two documents described below. As one of the attorneys representing the Lessee in this transaction, I have knowledge of the matters described in this letter.

The documents are as follows:

- (1) Memorandum of Lease Supplement No. 2 (BNSF 1999-F), dated as of December 15, 1999, between the Lessee and the Lessor; and
- (2) Memorandum of Trust Indenture Supplement No. 2 (BNSF 1999-F), dated as of December 15, 1999, between the Owner Trustee and the Indenture Trustee.

The primary documents to which Memorandum of Lease Supplement No. 2 (BNSF 1999-F) and Memorandum of Trust Indenture Supplement No. 2 (BNSF 1999-F) are connected are the Memorandum of Equipment Lease Agreement (BNSF 1999-F) and the Memorandum of Trust Indenture and Security Agreement (BNSF 1999-F), respectively, which were recorded on September 28, 1999.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed documents are as follows:

MEMORANDUM OF LEASE SUPPLEMENT NO. 2

Lessee:

The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company

2500 Lou Menk Drive

Fort Worth, Texas 76131-2828

Law Offices of

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Lessor:

Wilmington Trust Company

Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street

Wilmington, Delaware 19890-0001

MEMORANDUM OF TRUST INDENTURE SUPPLEMENT NO. 2

Owner Trustee:

Wilmington Trust Company

Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street

Wilmington, Delaware 19890-0001

Attention: Corporate Trust Administration

Indenture Trustee:

Allfirst Bank

25 South Charles Street MC 101-591

Baltimore, Maryland 21201

The description of the equipment covered as of the date hereof by the aforesaid Memorandum of Lease Supplement No. 2 and Memorandum of Trust Indenture Supplement No. 2 is as set forth on Exhibit A hereto.

A fee of fifty-two (\$52.00) is enclosed. Please time and date stamp the enclosed copy of each of the enclosed documents along with the extra copy of this letter as proof of filing and recordation of the enclosed documents and return the original and any extra copies of such documents and this letter not needed by the Board for recordation to:

Karl T. Williams, Esq. Chapman and Cutler 111 West Monroe Chicago, Illinois 60603

A short summary of each of the documents to appear in the index follows:

(1) MEMORANDUM OF LEASE SUPPLEMENT NO. 2:

Memorandum of Lease Supplement No. 2 (BNSF 1999-F) between Wilmington Trust Company, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Owner Trustee, as Lessor, Rodney Square North, 1100 North Market Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19890-0001 and The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company, as Lessee, 2500 Lou Menk Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76131-2828, dated as of December 15, 1999, covering railroad equipment bearing the reporting marks listed in the exhibit attached thereto. Memorandum of Lease Supplement No. 2 is related to the Memorandum of Equipment Lease Agreement between the Lessor and the Lessee which was recorded on September 28, 1999.

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(2) MEMORANDUM OF TRUST INDENTURE SUPPLEMENT NO. 2:

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If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned (312-845-3892).

Sincerely,

CHAPMAN AND CUTLER

By Karl T. Williams

KTW/b Enclosures

EXHIBIT A

UNITS

EQUIPMENT	QUANTITY	REPORTING MARKS
General Electric Company Dash 9-44 CW Diesel Electric Locomotives	40	BNSF 4513 through BNSF 4514 inclusive BNSF 4517 BNSF 4520 BNSF 4533 BNSF 4536 BNSF 4556 through BNSF 4587 inclusive BNSF 4591 through BNSF 4592 inclusive

RECORDATION NO. 2

MEMORANDUM OF LEASE SUPPLEMENT NO. 2

(BNSF 1999-F)

Memorandum of Lease Supplement No. 2, made and entered into as of December <u>15</u>, 1999, by and between Wilmington Trust Company, a Delaware banking corporation, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Owner Trustee, as Lessor ("Lessor"), and The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company, a Delaware corporation, as Lessee ("Lessee").

WITNESSETH:

- 1. The undersigned have entered into that certain Equipment Lease Agreement (BNSF 1999-F), dated as of September 1, 1999 (the "Lease Agreement"), effective as of the date set forth in and subject to the term defined in said Lease Agreement.
- 2. A memorandum of said Lease Agreement was recorded with the Surface Transportation Board pursuant to Section 11301 of Title 49 of the United States Code on September 28, 1999.
- 3. The undersigned have entered into that certain Lease Supplement No. 2 (BNSF 1999-F), dated December \(\frac{15}{5} \), 1999, whereby the terms and provisions of the above-described Lease Agreement are made applicable to certain railroad equipment bearing reporting marks as listed on Exhibit A attached hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have each caused this memorandum to be duly executed by their respective officers duly authorized as of the date and year first above written.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Owner Trustee				
By				
Name: Donald G. MacKelcan Title: Vice President				
Executed on this <u>Uth</u> day of December, 1999.				
THE BURLINGTON NORTHERN AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY				
By				
Name: L. Steven Vollmer Title: General Director-Finance				
Executed on this day of December, 1999.				

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RAILWAY COMPANY				
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Name: L. Steven Vollmer				
Title: General Director-Finance				
Executed on this 2^{n} day of December, 1999.				

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COUNTY OF _	New Castle)	SS.:	
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IN WIT	rness Whereof, I	have	hereur	Name: Notary Public My Commission Residing in Name: Notary Public My Commission Residing in
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				Name: Notary Public My Commission Expires: Residing in

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On this, the <u>2nd</u> day of December, 1999, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared L. Steven Vollmer, who being by me duly sworn, says that he is the General Director-Finance of THE BURLINGTON NORTHERN AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY, that said instrument was signed on December <u>2</u> , 1999 on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.					
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto mentioned.	set my hand and official seal on the date above				
M. MAZINIA M. M. MAZINIA M. M. M	Name: Tina Mailhos Notary Public My Commission Expires: 7-16-02 Residing in Fort Worth, TX				

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